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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 1, 2005

This paper is being filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed December 1, 2005 and in response to the Advisory Action and Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed May 23, 2006 (Paper No. 20060518). This Supplemental Response supersedes Applicants' Non-Compliant Amendment submitted April 24, 2006. Applicants respectfully request entry of this Supplemental Response in accordance with MPEP 714.03(a) as this response: a) adopts the Examiner's suggestions regarding claim 14, b) corrects claim informalities present in Applicants response submitted April 24, 2006, c) is offered in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, and d) places the application in condition for allowance. Reconsideration and reexamination are respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks below. While no fees should be required for entry of this response, if any fees or charges are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account 18-1167.

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